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IN RE APPLICATION OF : Tanaka et al.  
FOR : **ULTRA-FAST TRANSFORMATION  
TECHNIQUE FOR MONOCOTYLEDONS**  
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**AMENDMENT**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action dated April 24, 2003, please  
amend the above-identified application as follows: